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Today's weather: Moderate ESE winds. Fair apart from a few scattered showers.
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ARGONAUTS MAY BE BACK IN A MONTH

(BY OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT)

London, Sept. 8.—While BOAC's five Argonauts which normally fly between Britain and the Far East are temporarily out of service through engine trouble, alternative arrangements have been completed to carry passengers and freight to Hongkong.

Tomorrow morning BOAC Skymasters will commence operating from Britain to Karachi, where they will link up with Qantas Airways chartered Skymasters to complete the journey to Hongkong and Tokyo.

Link-up times have been so arranged as not to interfere with present schedules.

A spokesman said this afternoon the Corporation was hoping to be able to resume normal service with Argonauts within a month.

LABOUR'S POLICY ON WAGE-FREEZE WINS BIG VOTE

Bridlington, Sept. 8.—Trade union leaders overwhelmingly defeated a rebellion against the Labour Government's economic policy during a vigorous debate in the closing stages of the Trade Union Congress here today.

The liveliness of the rebels came as a surprise. But their defeat—which came in a vote of 6,485,000 to 1,038,000 on the Council's wage-freeze policy—was a foregone conclusion.

The contending forces threw their most able generals into the fight.

The General-Secretary of the TUC, Mr Vincent Tewson, argued the case for continued TUC co-operation with the Government and continued restraint in making wage claims.

He was backed by the leaders of seven affiliated unions, including the General Secretaries of Britain's two biggest—Mr Arthur Denton, of the Transport and General Workers Union, and Mr T. Williamson, of the Municipal and General Workers Union.

SOCIAL SECURITY

They argued that the trade unions' policy of restraint had been an essential contribution to the success of the Government's full employment and social security policies.

If Congress changed its attitude, Mr Tewson said, they would soon have a recurrence of their experiences during the depression of the 1930's and Congress would soon be accused of irresponsibility.

The TUC General Council would continue its examination

CHINESE REDS THREATENING SZECHUEN

Fresh Troops Thrown Into Amoy Attack

Canton, Sept. 9.—A Nationalist military spokesman today confirmed that the Communists were mounting a new threat to Szechuan Province as a result of the fighting in southeastern Shensi, less than 100 miles north of the Szechuan-Shensi border.

General Tang Wen-yi confirmed, at a press conference, heavy fighting at Feng-hsiien, south of Paochi, in Shensi. The Nationalist forces, under General Hu Tsung-nan, sought to move up to Paochi after the Com-

munists moved out to Lan-chow. The Nationalists were almost trapped when a strong column of Communists from Paochi swung suddenly westward.

The inability of General Hu Tsung-nan to defend the Szechuan border, giving the Reds a foothold towards the southwest, was advanced in some quarters as one of the main problems tackled by Generalsissimo Chiang Kai-shek during his recent visit to Chungking.

Fighting is reported west of Feng-hsiien in the Chingling mountains, where the Nationalists are seeking to stem the Communist swing southward. General Tang said losses on both sides were heavy.

The admission tended to confirm Shantung dispatches in which the Reds were claimed to be opening an offensive on Szechuan.

He also confirmed that Communist General Chen Yi was throwing in fresh armes in south Fukien against Amoy.

But he said that General Pai Chung-hsi's men have thrown back the Reds attacking the railway south of Hengyang. United Press.

AID CONDITIONS

Washington, Sept. 8.—The U.S. Government's Export-import Bank was reported today to have approved Yugoslavia's request for a loan of \$20,000,000.

The money would be used mainly to buy machinery and equipment for the Yugoslav copper, lead and zinc mines.

The credit would be the first direct American loan to Yugoslavia since Marshal Tito broke with Moscow 18 months ago.

Mr Dean Acheson, Secretary of State, is known to have strongly supported Yugoslavia's application for the loan as a "desultory risk," necessary to bolster Marshal Tito against Russia.

The Yugoslav application has been under consideration for only three weeks, and the Bank's speedy action would indicate the urgency with which the United States views aid to Marshal Tito.

Yugoslavia could repay the loan from dollars earned through shipments of strategic materials—lead, zinc and copper—to the United States.—Associated Press.

PROTEST TO REDS

Washington, Sept. 8.—The State Department disclosed today that the United States Government has charged the Communist authorities in Shanghai with a "serious breach" of international law and callous disregard of "universally accepted humanitarian standards."

The charge was made in connection with the Communist authorities' alleged refusal to intervene during a siege of the American Consulate in Shanghai by Chinese workers from July 20 to August 2. The protest was made by the acting Consul in Shanghai, Mr McNaughton, in a letter to the Foreign Affairs Bureau of the Shanghai Military Control Commission.

CRIPPS' APPEAL

Mr Snyder said that the nine Ministers would be in frequent session for the next few days, and that they would appoint other working groups to consider other questions as necessary.

He said that today's session had discussed Sir Stafford Cripps's appeal yesterday for the United States and Canada to assist Britain in increasing her dollar earnings by buying more from many stallions.

The factory was salvaging explosives from stockpiles of war-time ammunition. The firemen fought to prevent a spread of the blaze to a dump of artillery shells about a 100 metres away. The main factory building was enveloped in flames.—Reuters.

He said that the discussion had been extended to cover the question of increasing the dollar earnings of all European recipients of Marshall Plan aid.

Mr Paul G. Hoffman, Marshall Plan administrator, put before the session ways in which the sale of British goods in the United States could be increased, and reviewed the market for such goods, Mr Snyder said.

DOUGLAS CALLED

He said that the nine Ministers would meet again this afternoon and that they would call in the United States Ambassador to Britain, Mr Lewis Douglas, and the chairman of the working groups appointed today.

He said that they would not meet tomorrow morning because American members had to attend Cabinet meeting, and because Mr Ernest Bevin, the British Foreign Minister, and Sir Stafford Cripps, British Chancellor of the Exchequer, are to speak before the National Press Club here.

He said that there would be a meeting tomorrow afternoon

ARMS DUMP EXPLODES

Rome, Sept. 7.—Smoke-masked firemen were driven back by exploding artillery shells when an ammunition factory on the outskirts of Rome blazed up after an explosion today.

Troops cordoned off the area as a pall of smoke from the blazing factory spread over the surrounding countryside. Fire brigades sped to the factory from many stallions.

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TROOPS STAY ON SHIP

Troops who arrived in Hongkong today by the Empress of Australia will stay aboard until camps in the New Territories which were flooded by the typhoon are prepared.

The trooper docked at No. 1 Kowloon Wharf soon after 9 a.m. Aboard are men of the 1st Bn., the South Staffordshire Regiment, and 1st Bn. the King's Shropshire Light Infantry.

Additional personnel who are not going to the New Territories disembarked, but the main body of troops will probably be on board until Sunday.

BEVIN HAS A TOOTH OUT

Washington, Sept. 8.—The British Foreign Secretary, Mr Ernest Bevin, had a tooth extracted today under local anaesthetic. It was his lower right bicuspid, which was infected.

The extraction cost Devlin \$3 and made him 63 minutes late for the afternoon session of the three-power talks. —United Press.

Agree To Pay Cuts

Norwalk, (Connecticut), Sept. 8.—CIO workers at the Norwalk Tyre and Rubber Company today agreed to take an average 11-cents-an-hour pay cut to help the company "get on its feet." —United Press.

Charged With Treason



Colombian Legislator Shot Dead In Debate

Bogota, Sept. 8.—Shots were fired in the Colombian Parliament, killing one deputy and severely wounding another, when an uproar broke out during a debate today.

About 100 shots are believed to have been fired. The bullets killed a Liberal deputy, Senor Gustavo Jimenez, and wounded a Liberal former Minister, Senor Jorge Solo del Corral, in the right leg.

A Conservative, Senor Carlos del Castillo, opened fire after Senor Jimenez had referred to him in a speech. Other Conservatives joined in the firing.

During a scene of wild confusion, nothing could be heard in the Chamber except the sound of shooting.

During the debate, which started yesterday afternoon, the deputies had before them objections by the Colombian President, Senor Mariano Ospina Paret (Conservative), to a law providing for a Presidential election in November.

POLICE INQUIRY

When order had been restored in the Chamber after the shooting, the police assembled the deputies of both parties and opened an inquiry into the circumstances.

The President and the Cabinet issued early this morning a communiqué condemning the incident. They called on all political parties to maintain "patrol-like friendliness."

The "political" situation in Colombia has been tense during the past few days. Strong forces of troops have been sent to three towns where 10 people were killed in party clashes, according to reports earlier this week from Tunja, 80 miles northeast of Bogota.

Groups, reported to have modern arms, including sub-machine guns, were said to have attacked Saboya and San Rafael, in the province of Boyaca, and Mogeote in Santander Province.—Reuters.

AMETHYST TO LEAVE TODAY

Repairs to the engines of HMS Amethyst, having been completed, the frigate will leave Hongkong at 4 p.m. today on her return to the United Kingdom.

In answer to questions, Mr Snyder said emphatically that Britain had made no request for loans or grants beyond the Marshall Plan.

He rejected requests of newspaper men to know whether the subject of the possibility of deviating the Pound Sterling had been discussed.

"I have said for over a year, I will not discuss publicly the devaluation of any currency at any time or under any circumstances. I have taken a year's position on this. I am standing on it."—Reuters.

Nehru's Reply To Attlee & Truman

New Delhi, Sept. 8.—The reply of the Indian Prime Minister, Mr Jawaharlal Nehru, to President Truman's and Mr Clement Attlee's recent communications on the subject of Kashmir, were handed over today to the American Ambassador, Mr Lay Henderson, and the British High Commissioner, Sir Archibald Nye, who called on Sir Girja Shankar Bajpa, Secretary-General of the External Affairs Ministry.

The two Western leaders, in their communications, had urged India and Pakistan to accept the United Nations Kashmir Commission's latest proposal to the two Governments which, it is believed, suggested arbitration over the true nature of Kashmir.

A copy of India's reply to the Commission's proposal was also given to Mr Henderson and Sir Archibald today.

Well-informed quarters here believe that India has rejected the Commission's suggestion for arbitration for the following reasons:

Firstly, no specific issues have been made out for arbitration, the idea presumably being to leave it to the Arbitrator himself to formulate the points at issue which, according to these quarters, would be a strange procedure.

Secondly, the Commission would appear to have suggested that India may overlook its past elucidations and clarifications given to her with regard to disarming and disbanding of the Azad-Kashmir forces.—Reuters.

PAKISTAN REPLIES

Karachi, Sept. 8.—Authoritative sources said today that Premier Liaquat Ali Khan has accepted the Truman-Attlee proposal about the settlement of the Kashmir dispute. Pakistan has also replied to the latest proposals by a United Nations committee about Kashmir. The nature of the reply was not revealed.—United Press.

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HATS THAT FLEW



—TO PARIS: a round roll-brim model in taffeta, checked in burgundy and white. The burgher wear: Londoner Mary Bouille.



—TO DEEP RIVER (Connecticut): a band of white cotton gathered at each side by a white-covered button. Wearer: Betty Griffin, 16, on holiday, finished the trip by taking a picture of the aircraft that flew her home.

(London Express Service)

Inspiration
From
Paintings

PARIS

FRANCOISE Ray places different Van Gogh paintings in colour on the covers of her programmes today, and features the green or orange or yellow gold tones this painter loved.

In shapes she takes inspiration from the Moyenage but much modernised. The collection begins with amusing youthful pieces combining toque or hood in one with shawl or gilet, one such model in plaid woolen taken from medieval jester's cap with capelet.

Wimple styles are shown for daytime in wool jersey, while one for evening has a gray silk jersey wimple falling on the shoulders from an easel toque richly jewelled and gold embroidered, very Moyenageish.

Small Shapes

Town hats interpret the wimple mostly in small low toques with supple jersey or taffeta bands tightly draped around the front to the sides, then slipped under the chin. Several small brimmed hats have a brim similarly continued under the chin from either side.

Aside from these wimple fashions, the Moyenage is hinted in wearable small shapes with slightly square low crowns and tiny brims or borders; and in other small shapes with bonnet brims jutting forward over tight bands covering the hairline. The first type recalls pageboy hats, the second women's coils in Italian or Dutch paintings around the 16th Century.

Besides gold tones, there are many greens and grays and some red, while white velvet makes several small shapes.

LACE CARE

LACE by the yard must be pinned its whole length on the selvedge, using the edge of the board or table as a guide to keeping it straight. Begin with the scalloped edge or point and lift it out gently to the right width. This requires careful stretching so that the lace will not look strained or pulled but will be of even width throughout.

To store lace, tack it on a smooth piece of heavy paper, and if space is scarce, roll paper and lace, covered with blue tissue paper in a roll.

These Children's Diseases Are No Longer Dreaded

By HERMAN N. BUNDESEN, M.D.

TODAY measles is not the dread disease it was 20 years ago. Just the same, it has, not by any means lost all its terrors, for in young children it may still be a serious infection, leading to even more serious complications, such as pneumonia and middle-ear infection known as infectious hepatitis, and it has had some sure and always present effect against infections of the nose and throat.

It has also been found useful in controlling chickenpox in young children, nor has it been found of value in warding off the paralytic stage of infantile paralysis, according to most experts.

Then there is sickness occurring in children which develops most often during the second half of the first year, and almost always in children under two years of age.

This condition, called acrodynia, begins gradually, with restlessness, nervousness, and loss of appetite. The hands and feet become a deep pink colour or slightly swollen, moist and tender, and often there is scaling of the palms and soles. A generalized rash, made up of pimples which are a dusky red colour, develops over the trunk and other parts of the body. The patients sweat a great deal, even in chilly weather. The muscles become weakened. There is fear of light, and the child usually keeps his head buried in his pillow. The gums are swollen. Rapid heart

are. It has been found that a substance known as dimercaprol, commonly called Bal, has been useful in the treatment of mercury poisoning; hence these babies were treated with Bal.

After about six days of treatment, the babies showed remarkable improvement. The hands and feet became a normal colour, the fear of light was gradually lessened, and the rash faded. Sweating was no longer excessive. The babies' appetites improved and there was improvement in the condition of the muscles. It is not likely that the injection of mercury is responsible for all cases of acrodynia. However, it would appear likely that in a number of instances the mercury is responsible. Of course, in these cases, Bal brings about prompt improvement.

Convalescent Serum

There are many ways in which we can, as it were, treat measles before they develop. One is to give convalescent serum, which is a blood serum taken from a patient who has recently recovered from measles. Another way is to give a large dose of blood serum taken from a normal adult. However, such serum will not ward off the attack as a rule, but will only serve to make it milder.

In more recent times, what is known as serum albumin or gamma globulin, is used both to prevent and to lessen the severity of measles. It is a proved fact that the antibodies against infection are located in what is known as the globulin part of the blood, and particularly in what has been called gamma globulin, which makes up about 11% of the total blood protein.

A comparative test carried out in England shows that gamma globulin has about twice as powerful an action on convalescent serum.

In a group of children one to four years of age, only two out of twenty-eight given the gamma globulin developed mild measles, as compared to 7 out of 33 children who were given the convalescent serum. There were no local or general reactions as a result of the injection of the gamma globulin.

Proved Useful

Gamma globulin has also proved useful for other purposes. For example, it is effective in preventing a liver

Necklines

PARIS
Keep On
Plunging

PLUNGING necklines, deeper and wider than ever before, were the highlights of Marcel Rochas' collection for autumn fashion shows.

His necklines, which often measure four inches across and were slashed to the waist, were part of what Rochas termed the "eternal attributes of seductive femininity."

Like others of Paris' famous fashion houses, Rochas opened his show only after princesses, countesses, fashion writers and buyers pitched in to finish the new models.

The 12,000 "midinettes," the seamstresses who work for the designers, have been on strike for eight days.

One black Rochas cocktail dress called "aligrette" had a plumed bird with diamond head resting in the waist-deep V-neck.

Named After Birds

Rochas named his whole collection after rare birds, and topped most of his dresses with small feather-decorated hats worn on the side of the head.

For day-wear Rochas favoured deep collars and short, gently-swinging capes in plaid and checked wool. His whole line was called "looping," derived from the skirt and sleeve treatment.

A full-length waistcoat front, for example, buttoning down the centre, looped up from the bottom and formed two side panels. This same technique was applied to double collars and sleeves. Rochas used fur decorations lavishly.

On the whole, Rochas line was strictly feminine and easy to wear. Shoulders remained gently rounded for day wear, waists were at their proper place, and full skirts cut on the bias, with wide drapery or the "looping effect" felt gently to a mid-calf length 13 inches from the floor.

—United Press

LEANING AGAINST an old corral fence, Betty Heslin of Phoenix, Arizona, models the West's version of the plunging neckline. The outfit, created by Margot of Arizona, is guaranteed to make a cowboy look twice.

Children's Eating Habits

By GARRY CLEVELAND MYERS, Ph.D.

IN recent years there has been great progress in the selection and preparation of proper foods for babies and young children. The modern pediatrician guides the mother in these matters. Manufacturers of foods have made available a wonderful array of foods that are adequate, palatable, and easily and safely served to babies and young children.

Books, magazines and lectures give many reliable facts and procedures relating to correct foods for youngsters. Never

was there a time when so many mothers have had so much useful information about selection and preparation of wholesome foods for their children, or a time when so many mothers in our country could afford so well to buy these foods.

Yet it is chiefly among these more highly intelligent and informed mothers that most eating problems in children arise. As a rule, these mothers know far more about the foods that little children should have than of how to cause these children to enjoy eating. Mothers who know little about proper diets for their children don't incline to worry over the youngster's appetite. For them ignorance seems almost to be bliss.

Should Enjoy Food

But how can knowledge about the proper quality, quantity and preparation of food for the baby and young child be harmful? Isn't such knowledge very essential? Of course, it's essential. But with this knowledge needs also to go knowledge of how to cause the child to enjoy the proper foods and the art of putting this knowledge into practice. Such knowledge and art imply understanding by the serene, her head clear and her mother of the child's emotions lips closed.

The mother can force the child to eat only in an indirect way by limiting his choices, provided she can do so with perfect self-control. To this end she should serve only one food at a time, as a rule, and in very, very small portions, letting him choose between this and nothing, while she keeps her own insides

out of the refrigerator to chill; and when as thick as honey, stir in 1/2 cup fine-diced, unflavoured gelatin, mixed with 2 tablespoons cold water and dissolved over hot water. Put this

Don't Tolerate Excess Pounds



If you have a nice figure, keep it that way with regular exercise and a well-balanced diet, says Screen Star Jean Peters. But avoid frank

diet, she adds.

By HELEN FOLLETT

TRUNDLING around more sweets and starches, so they are cut down to the limit. Less cream in the coffee, no sugar in any form, no pastries, small servings of cereals now and then.

One can have lean meats, sea food, poultry, buttermilk, fruits and fruit juices, vegetables, especially green salads, cottage cheese.

Sensible methods of reducing weight need not mean that one is going to be half starved all the time or that one must exercise to the point of fatigue. A little exercise is helpful, especially bending exercise that do not tire the candidate for slenderness.

To slim down the mid-section: stand tall, chest up, abdomen held in. Send the arms out at the sides on a line with the shoulders. Turn from side to side, as far back as you can, keeping the legs rigid. These movements cause the body to pivot at the waist line. By tightening up slack muscles, fat cells in that locality will vanish.

Let's Eat
BY
IDA BAILEY ALLEN

Delicious French "Hamwiches"

THERE is only some cottage cheese and some small bits of ham left in the refrigerator, but we have plenty of vegetables," announced the Chef. "So I would like to prepare a dinner that will feature vegetables in three ways, supplemented by the cheese and ham. I would suggest a new vegetable juice cocktail, a Hungarian-green-bean-pot-serve, with the cottage cheese, and a fine tossed salad of tender raw spinach and lettuce."

"And what are you going to do with the fragments of ham?"

"With those fragments I shall create something new, ham French toast."

"Let's call them French hamwiches, Chef. And we can have sugared blackberries for dessert. Now let's write down the menu."

"And all this build-up, just because you saved vegetables instead of draining it off!"

"I also have saved a pint or liquid from cooked potatoes, Madame. It is incomparable to use instead of water to give a nice full flavor to any kind of gravy. Or to use in place of 1/2 of the milk in preparing scalloped vegetables."

"And Chef, I have often saved an accumulation of vegetable liquid for two or three days and used it as a basis for a vegetable and meat bouillon, or the liquid in which to boil noodles, rice or spaghetti. It gives a wonderful flavor and turns them into what I call 'vitaminizers.' All Measurements Are Level Recipes Serve Four

French Hamwiches

Beat 2 eggs; add 1/4 tsp. salt, 1/4 tsp. sugar, a trace of nutmeg and 1 c. milk. Then make 4 full-sized white bread sandwiches, put together with fine-minced ham or deviled ham, seasoned with a little table-mustard. Cut the sandwiches in halves; dip quickly in and out of the egg mixture and fry until brown first on one side then the other, in butter, margarine or shortening.

Young Spinach and Lettuce Salad

Clean and crisp 2 heaping cupsful tender spinach tops, and shred enough crisp lettuce to make 2 c. Add 2 sprigs minced mint, and toss with plain French dressing seasoned with a little garlic salt.

Suggestion Of The Chef

To keep blackberries fresh overnight, pick over when they come from the market but do not wash. Spread on a pan lined with a

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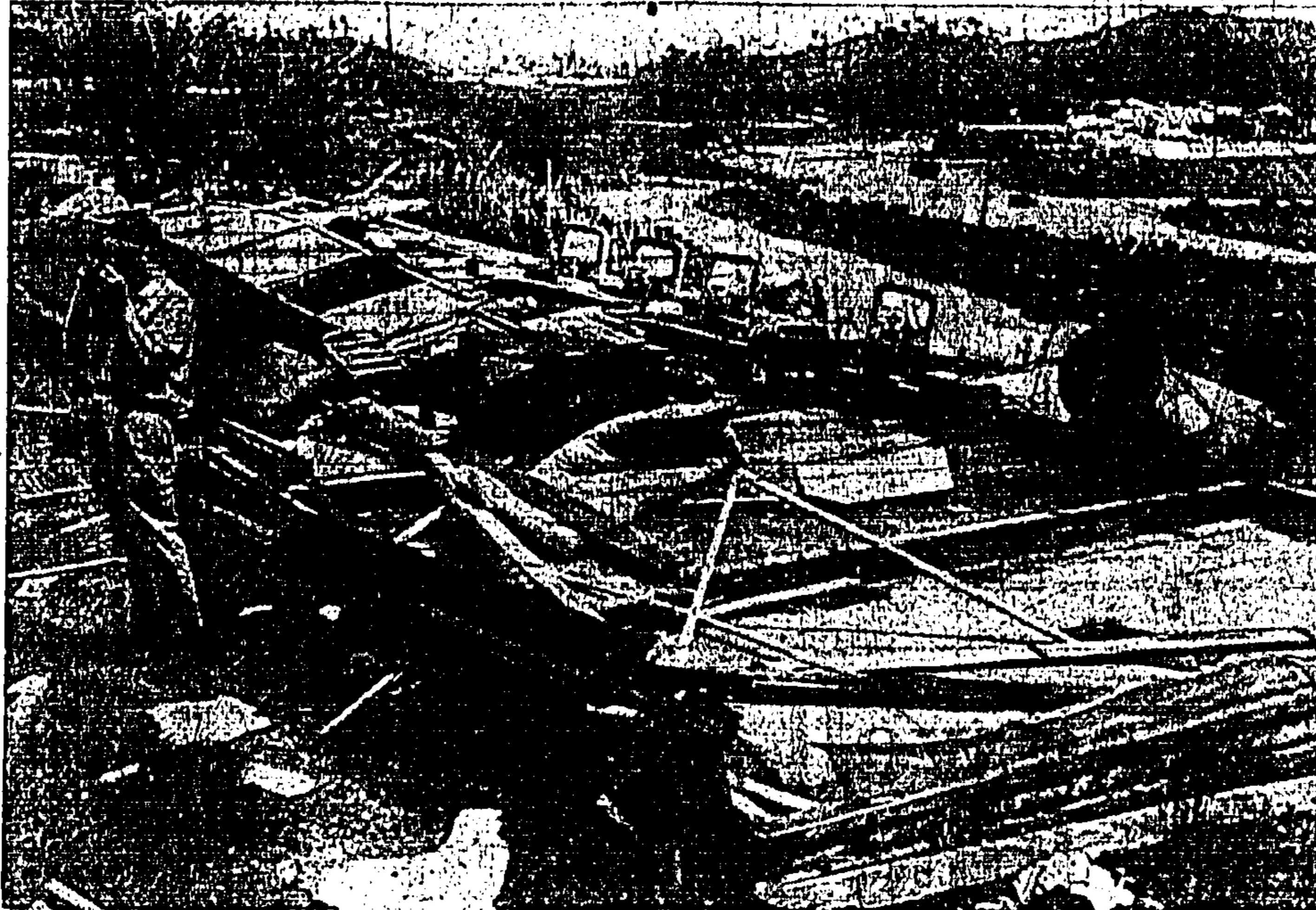
THEY'RE BIG GALS—The Tall People's Club held a convention in New York's Central Park to select an Amazon queen. Helen Lukacs, 22, of Chicago, centre, won although she's only five feet, eleven inches. Madeleine Rainey, left, of Philadelphia and Virginia Gentill of New York were six-foot competitors.



OVER THE PALMS — Giant Catalina flying boats salute the U.S. Naval Air Station in Miami, Florida. The planes were flown from Squantum, Massachusetts, by U.S. Naval Reservists to participate in the first all-reserve squadron manoeuvres ever held on the east coast.



N-ICE WORK IF YOU CAN GET IT — During an ice industry convention in Chicago, Illinois, the temperature stayed in the nineties. Business man Daniel Prager, of Washington, D. C., found a chunk of ice up on the roof and used it to sit on while dictating to Sylvia Arklin.



WHERE THE TYPHOON STRUCK—A guest house at U.S. Army headquarters on Okinawa is just a heap of wreckage after a 150-mile-an-hour storm struck the area. Similar damage was reported throughout the island. Among those killed during the violent storm was one American child. Sixteen other Americans were injured.



BOXER TURNS COOK—Gus Lesnevich is contender for culinary honours as well as for the heavyweight championship. At his training camp in Summit, New Jersey, where he's working out for his bout with champion Ezzard Charles, Gus' family tries his cooking. Gary, the youngest, is testing a steak for his mother, Jillian, and older brother, Gus, Jr.



JUNIORS MARCH—These girl bagpipers are marching in London, England, where they gave a concert. Their average age is 14, and they came 700 miles from Scotland to play their music.



OPENING UP—Bebe, the hippopotamus at a Chicago, Illinois, zoo, opens its jaw wide for keeper Eli Markmels. Markmels looks as if he might be teasing Bebe, but from the size of that eating-gap, the hippo looks deadly serious.



SOMETHING NEW—Latest thing in bathing suits is modelled by Mardia Miller, in New York. This one is made of plastic lumite and is almost certain to please girls of every age.



VANDERLING FREIGHT CARS—After reaching one end of a bridge over the Ohio River, in Cincinnati, two freight cars leaped 20 feet from one trestle to another. The accident caused a third car to dangle by the couplings between the trestles, derailing eight more cars in the smash-up.



THEY PLAY AN OLD GAME—While studying international relations in England, students Phyllis Oalom, left, and Dorothy Shelly took on two male opponents at lawn billiards in London. The game was brought to England by Charles II, in the 17th Century.

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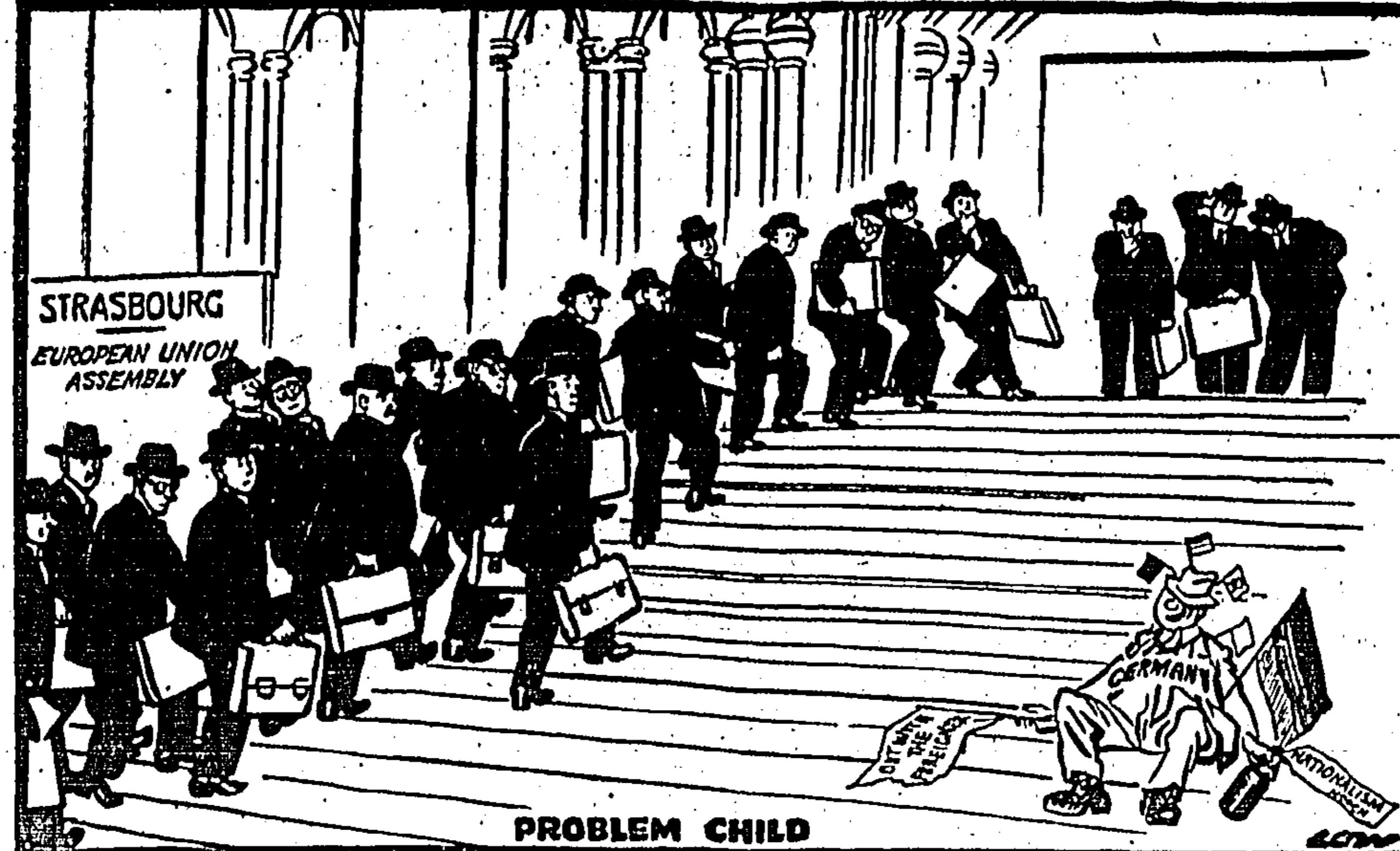
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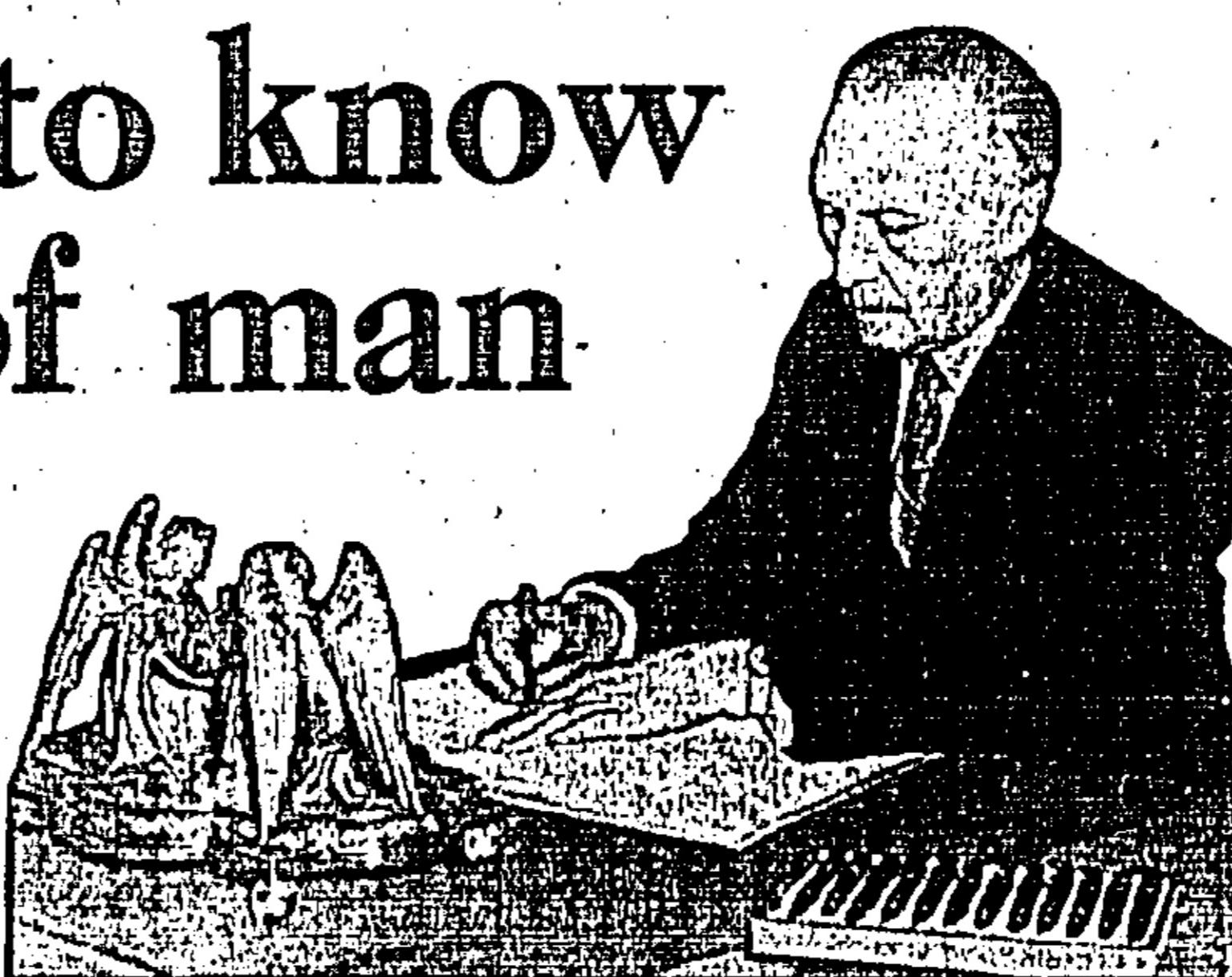
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It's as well to know the kind of man they want



BLACK - UNIFORMED German police sprang to attention with a military salute as a long, black limousine edged on to the Godesberg-Koenigswinter Rhine ferry.

The police, slightly premature with their greeting, were much more polite than if it had been a British general's car.

For the limousine's elderly passenger was 73-year-old Dr Konrad Adenauer, chosen in the recent General Election to head Germany's new Government.

In this dark, clerical grey suit, the tall, unsmiling leader of the Christian-Democratic majority in the new German parliament was on his way home from the new Federal capital at Bonn to the former Nazi Party retreat above Koenigswinter.

That night ex-Lord Mayor of Cologne Dr Adenauer, fed his eight chickens and worked in his rocker just across the Rhine from the Godesberg Hotel where Hitler once met Chamberlain.

Old ambition

HE felt he was about to achieve two-quarters of an old ambition: (1) to be German Prime Minister; (2) to set up a new German Federal capital at Bonn—midway between his birthplace at Cologne and his home above the Rhine.

Dr Adenauer has been the dominating figure in the months-long fight between Bonn and Frankfurt as the seat of the new German Government. He has still to persuade his new parliament to remain in Bonn.

For the second time in 23 years the Germans have chosen a septuagenarian, a retired professional man, to be their leader.

The first time it was a general, the sensible Hindenburg, who prepared the way for Hitler. Now it is ex-lawyer Adenauer, a civil servant, anti-Nazi, undoubtedly, but equally a reactionary nationalist.

Under today's fashionable cloak of democracy Dr Adenauer and his Cabinet colleagues may give yet another mauling to that much-maligned word.

To Adenauer and his friends, democracy means just what ever Germany wants—and no interference from anyone. For Dr Adenauer is unchanging.

Anti-British

THIRTY years have passed since the early middle-aged Lord Mayor saw British troops march into his native city and start the first occupation of the Rhineland.

Report from the spot
where Hitler met
Chamberlain . . . by
CHARLES WRIGHTON

From that day he has been anti-British. He still is, despite half-hearted denials in the past few months.

Hostile to the first British Army of the Rhine, this then centre party Lord Mayor flirted with French attempts to set up a separate Rhineland State.

He still held the key post of Cologne's Lord Mayor when the Nazis, within a few days, of taking power in 1933, sacked him.

He was twice arrested by the Nazis—once on the "Night of the Long Knives" in 1934, when Hitler liquidated his S.A. chief Roehm and other early Nazi leaders. The second time was ten years later, when Adenauer, with all other potential German Opposition leaders, was arrested after the July 20 bomb plot on Hitler's life.

In—and out

CAME spring 1945, when the American First Army drove into Cologne. To American political officers Adenauer was the obvious choice, and once again he became Lord Mayor of Cologne.

The Americans went—and the British military government took over Adenauer's city.

By October 1945 British intelligence had found time to look up the old card index of the first occupation—and Adenauer was summarily sacked for the second time.

For that he will never forgive the British and he will never forget.

But he still pretends to be friends with the French.

Of the Americans Dr Adenauer said little—they support his party's German "free enterprise," and they provide the dollars. But let Mr Truman beware if the dollars stop.

In a bid to heal all sores British officials this year tried to persuade Dr Adenauer to visit London.

He numbed and hawed, he insisted on official invitations, and finally he did not go. But he did go about the same time to a conference in Switzerland, and came out of it with a national fuss by denying that the German people surrendered in 1945. Only the Wehrmacht surrendered. Adenauer is alleged to have claimed.

He quibbled about his exact words—but the stain stuck. He is alleged to have about a new German Army, but he has never made them public.

Three days before the Berlin blockade was lifted Mr Bevin met Dr Adenauer at Sir Brian Robertson's British zone castle. It was not a very successful meeting.

Pressure

2 The Christians Democratic, headed by Soviet-expelled East zone Christian Democrat chairman Jacob Kaiser of Berlin, and devout but liberal Karl Arnold, Ruh Prine Minister.

Bavarians

NOW anti-British, grim, difficult Dr Adenauer is to take office as Minister President (Prime Minister) of the new German Federal Republic.

His Government will be anti-Socialist, and committed to leave the Ruhr war arsenal in the possession of still formidable German big business.

Under strong pressure from widely differing wings of the Christian Democrats, Dr Adenauer is almost bound to follow the only safe policy accepted by all—100 percent occupation by all, and against the occupation.

But Adenauer and his Cabinet will not have the last word. The sovereign authority remains with the Allied High Commission—British Sir Brian Robertson, American John McCloy, and French Francois Poncelet.

From their headquarters in the massive Petersberg Hotel on the hillside above Adenauer's villa, the Western Allies' High Command will dominate the German Government on all questions of foreign policy, disarmament, dismantling, and foreign trade.

(London Express Service)

Three groups

BETWEEN three different pressure groups he must try to keep the balance:

Extreme reactionaries

1 the almost medieval Cardinal Archbishop Josef Frings

NEW YORK.

FOR a change, an American industry is showing signs of worry over British enterprise and British hustle.

Ever since the war, America's aeroplane makers have been afraid that British competitors will be ready to deliver planes to the British air force by 1953 or 1954.

And Pan-American, the largest US ocean airline, has warned them that they will have to order British if no American plane is ready in time.

This threat has the American industry in a state of urgency. Desperately they are asking their engineers to find them some short cuts.

—C. V. H. THOMPSON

British "Hustle" Has Them Jittery

NEW YORK.

FOR a change, an American manufacturer had talked of another two years' dreaming before they went to work seriously. Their target year had been 1950.

But they have suddenly become afraid that British competitors will be ready to deliver planes to the British air force by 1953 or 1954.

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A NEW FLAG FLEW OVER THE PLAIN

A STRANGE standard flew proudly for the first time from the top of Long Barrow on the bleak Imber range of Salisbury Plain the other day. It was composed of black, white, red and green slanted stripes on which was superimposed, in the centre, a rectangle of three horizontal black, white and red stripes of equal dimensions, and a white crown.

It is so new that it doesn't appear in the reference books yet.

It is the flag of the Hashemite Kingdom of Jordan, better known as Transjordan, an Eastern Arab state bounded by Israel, Syria, Iraq and Saudi Arabia, and it heralded the presence of its 67-year-old King Abdullah Ibn Hussein at the School of Infantry's spectacular demonstration of a modern attack by a force of all arms on a strongly-defended enemy position.

King Abdullah, a dignified little figure with twinkling brown eyes and a neat grey beard, who was on fortnight's visit to Britain, was accompanied by his second son, Prince Naif, Fawzi Pasha Mulki, his Minister of Defence, two military attaches and the famous British Commander of the Arab Legion, Major-General J. B. Glubb Pasha, CMG, DSO, OBE, MC.

The last named officer, who is regarded as the present-day "Lawrence," belongs to that little band of Englishmen who devote their lives to the study of the Arabs. His character and personality have earned him the respect and esteem of the wild, virile tribes of the desert.

A Miniature

Abdullah rules over only some 400,000 people and has been a king little more than three years. His country is about the size of Britain, but three parts desert; and Glubb's command is a miniature compared to modern armies. But these two men and that country have played an important part in Middle Eastern affairs during the past generation.

Jordan is entirely Abdullah's creation. The second son of the Sherif of Mecca, descendant of the Prophet Mohammed, this gentle-spoken Arab with a passion for Arab literature and chess, was the prime mover behind his father's return to England in 1917. During the World War One, during the notorious International moves that followed the end of hostilities, he seized the territories which came to be known as Transjordan and has ruled it under a British mandate since 1921, Britain being responsible for foreign relations and defence against external aggression.

Complete independence was granted in May, 1946, and Abdullah then proclaimed himself king.

Abdullah had to start from scratch. Most of his new subjects were nomadic Bedouin, who had not been subjected to any government for centuries, or peasants tribally organized and resentful of any administrative control.

New Spirit

For internal security, a tiny Arab Legion was formed under Captain Peake, of the Duke of Wellington's Regiment, but when later called on to face the ever-present problem of tribal raiders, this force was split into two sections, one wearing trousers and spiked helmets, being delegated to the settled areas and aerodromes, and the other, a desert patrol, wearing skirts, turbans, picturesquely red cloaks, attend to the more military side of the Legion's work.

John Bagot Glubb, a Sapper who had passed out of the Woolwich "Shop" first in his term, earned the MC in France, was appointed to organise the patrol. In 1939 he succeeded to the supreme command of the Legion.

These men created a new spirit in Transjordan, a loyalty which has stood the test of many troubled years. The Emir got to know at first hand the lives of all his subjects and practised that accessibility which is in the great tradition of Arab sovereigns. Tribal raiding was brought to an end in a few months, not by repression and imprisonment, but by shrewd handling and understanding of Bedouin mentality.

This realistic demonstration—live ammunition was used throughout and one stall tank was put out of action—is staged every three months by the School of Infantry for instructional purposes. Among the spectators were Lt General L. Byers, Chief of the South African Army, eight Dutch, two French and two Belgian officers, who has established a moral leader-

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British Railwaymen's Wage Claim Rejected

FULL UNION MEETING TO BE CALLED

London, Sept. 8.—A claim for a 10/- a week wage increase by 477,000 British railwaymen was tonight unanimously rejected by the Board of Conciliation appointed by the Government.

Both the unions and the Railways Executive, which runs the nationalised railways, had agreed in advance to accept the Board's recommendations.

US Trying To Lay Hands On India's Riches

Soviet Newspaper's Allegation

Moscow, Sept. 8.—Trud, the Soviet trade union newspaper, said today that American monopolists were trying hardest to lay their hands on India's natural riches, and to supply "all sorts of junk" in exchange.

"The United States are using all forms of pressure to achieve the speedy signing of a treaty of 'trade, friendship and shipping,' giving American monopolists complete control of the Indian market, and ultimately resulting in the sifting of many branches of Indian industry," Trud said.

"The pressure of British capital is at present the main factor preventing Indian representatives signing such a treaty," Trud added.

"Meanwhile American monopolists are conducting propaganda on an unprecedented scale for Indian Marshallisation."

"India is literally invaded by all sorts and shades of American agents, making speeches, writing newspaper articles and broadcasting 'achievements' of the Marshall Plan in Western Europe."

"Propagandists argue that a stable economy can only be achieved in the South-East Asian countries by Marshallisation, but in return for American help they must abolish tariff and Customs barriers," Trud added.

"This showed up the monopolistic real aims."

"American monopolists hoped with cheap handicrafts and textiles, to stifle national industries in Asian countries and to transform them into colonies."

"But if it is possible to fool individuals or groups of individuals, it is impossible to deceive whole peoples," Trud concluded.—Reuter.

Death Of Former HK Resident

Mr J. H. N. Mody

News has been received of the death in England on August 6 of Mr J. H. N. Mody, who was at one time an important figure in financial circles in Hongkong and the Far East.

The "Torgony Times" of August 12 reported that Mr Mody died at his home, Kathleen Court, Stich Hill, after a long illness.

Mr Mody was born in Hongkong on October 12, 1876, and was educated at Trinity College, Cambridge. He was the son of the late Sir H. N. Mody, a partner of Sir Paul Chater, who as much as any man, was responsible for the commercial development of Hongkong 50 years ago.

On his father's death, Mr Mody replaced him as Sir Paul's associate, and subsequently he was in partnership with the late Mr J. E. Joseph as Bill and Bullion brokers with extensive connections. He retired in 1922 at the age of 47, and went to England with his wife and family, making his home in Torgony.

KEEN SPORTSMAN

Mr Mody was a connoisseur of art, and in his younger days achieved some distinction as a swimmer. He was also a keen yachtsman.

He served in the Field Battery of the old Hongkong Volunteer Corps, and for a time in the Mounted Police. He rode for the famous Buxey Stable which was owned by his father. He was also a keen cricketer, playing for the Hongkong Cricket Club and the now defunct Paris Cricket Club.

Reported to have died a millionaire, Mr Mody was, like his philanthropic father, the anonymous performer of many charitable acts during his 27 years' residence in Torgony.

Mr Mody's wife died six years ago, and he is survived by two sons and two grand-children.

SIDE GLANCES

By Galbraith



"Why not put off your haircut one more day, Judge? Schultz the butcher will be in tomorrow, and I'd like to hear how you come out with him in that argument about the national debt!"

Galbraith

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Pakistan Still Anxious For Foreign Investment

Karachi, Sept. 8.—The Pakistan Prime Minister, Mr Liaquat Ali Khan, today said that there had not been as much foreign capital investment in Pakistan as new industries as had been expected.

Opening the Council of Industries here, Mr Ali Khan said that he looked forward to larger investments of private capital flowing into the productive enterprises of the Dominion.

Pakistan's Minister of Commerce, Mr Fazlur Rahman, told the Council that Pakistan's total requirements for industrial development during the next 10 years from home and abroad, would amount to about 300 crores (a crore is 10 million rupees).

The Prime Minister, after reasserting the Dominion's desire for rapid industrialisation and maintaining her Army and the standard of living, said: "It is essential that advanced countries should give not only the benefit of their store of technical knowledge, of their experience of large-scale organisation in the under-developed countries, but also the whereby for the development of industries.

PAKISTANI INVESTORS CRITICISED

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The Prime Minister continued: "So far as Pakistan is concerned, it is now almost a matter of history that the 'climate' for investment, which investors from abroad so often go in search of, has been provided here."

He added that the Dominion would welcome foreign capital seeking an investment with a purely industrial and economic objective and not claiming any special privileges.

The Prime Minister criticised the timidity of Pakistani investors and urged them to put more money into industry without expecting quick returns.—Reuter.

WAGE-FREEZE APPROVED

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in the movement one of their heaviest defeats ever.

Several other resolutions before Congress—today were referred to the General Council for consideration.

One of them urged examination of the engineering and founding industries to decide their suitability for nationalisation.

Another called for training in industrial management for trade unions so that they could take a bigger part in raising management standards.

Congress declined to vote on a demand by the Rubber Workers' Union for nationalisation of the rubber manufacturing industry after opponents had argued that the matter needed fuller investigation.—Reuter.

CROONER MARRIED



Mr and Mrs Rudy Vallee pose at the entrance to Corpus Christi Catholic church in Oakland, California, after their wedding. The bride was formerly Eleanor Kathleen Norris, 21, a University of California graduate. (AP Picture).

"They Pulled My Beard," Says Church Leader

ALLEGES ASSAULT BY "IRON GUARDS"

Paris, Sept. 8.—Dr Ivanovici, head of the Romanian Orthodox Church in Paris, today accused "Romanian Iron Guards" of having assaulted him in his church, pulled his beard, pushed him out of the building, locked him in his presbytery, and ran-sacked his papers.

Sitting in his presbytery this afternoon, Dr Ivanovici, said that another priest had been appointed in his place in the church.

He had been told by the Paris police that he would now have to establish his legal position as head of the Romanian Orthodox Church in Paris before he could lodge a complaint.

While Dr Ivanovici was making this statement, Father Gratiu Radu, who, according to members of the Romanian colony, has been appointed to control the Church, was on another floor of the presbytery giving the police his version of what had happened.

Dr Ivanovici said that after a service on Sunday about 100 people entered the church, with Father Radu to elect a new church council.

"They read a proclamation purporting to be from the Metropolitan Visarion, suspending me from the service of the church because I had said prayers for King Carol.

DOOR BROKEN DOWN

"They proposed Father Radu as my successor, and he proceeded to appoint his own church council, which was completely irregular, as the council is elected by the congregation.

"They asked me to hand over the keys. I refused. Then they dragged me out of the church by force. I clung to the banisters, but they hauled me downstairs. I was struck hasted and my beard was pulled."

Dr Ivanovici said that the party demanded that he should open the presbytery. When he refused, they broke down the door.

"There was another struggle inside, and finally they took the keys of the church. They searched my apartments, took papers and then asked me to leave, stating that a hotel room had been booked for me.

"NAZI MASTERS" The Rumanian Legation today issued a statement that the church was "occupied in March, 1948, by Rumanian reactionary forces which had taken refuge in Paris.

"The Legation has protested several times against this illegal act," the statement added. "The Legation denounced the fact that the Rumanian church had become a den for Rumanian

PLANE CRASH IN JUNGLE

Singapore, Sept. 8.—An RAF Dakota with a crew of three crashed in a thick jungle today while searching for a missing Spitfire.

The crashed Dakota was located by another RAF plane 20 miles north of Taiping, and a ground party has set out for the scene. It is doubtful, however, if there are any survivors.

The names of the crew have not been announced yet.

The Spitfire, for which the crashed plane had been searching, had been missing since Monday.—Associated Press.

Unification Of Korea A Soviet-US Responsibility

Ex-Chairman Of UN Commission's View

Tokyo, Sept. 8.—Mr Anus Singh, former Chairman of the United Nations Commission on Korea, said today that the unification of Korea was the moral responsibility of the United States and Russia.

Mr Singh, who is on his way to Luke Success to become an adviser to the Indian delegation to the United Nations, said that the Economic Co-operation Administration had found a good deal of discontent with the Korean Government in many quarters.

"The Government is very new and inexperienced, and a newly liberated people expect far too much from it," Mr Singh said. "I feel that the Rhee Government can well afford to be more popular and to broaden its base on a democratic basis."

Dealing with the chances of a civil war in Korea, Mr Singh said: "There is a general feeling of frustration and tenseness in Southern Korea. There is apprehension that there might be a major-scale invasion of South Korea by the North."

CAN BE AVOIDED

"The danger of a civil war is there, but I feel that as long as the United Nations is occupied with the Korean problem, a civil war can be avoided."

"We met some people in South Korea who felt that if the South had adequate military equipment at its disposal, it would not hesitate to attack the North."

Referring to the possibility of an uprising in South Korea led by Communist-inspired anti-Government forces, Mr Singh said: "The Government claims that Communist-inspired subversive activities are growing daily."—Reuter.

EFFECTS TO HALT EPIDEMIC

Seoul, Sept. 8.—The American and Korean authorities today began a co-operative programme of mosquito spraying in an attempt to halt the epidemic of encephalitis which so far has killed 167 and affected more than 600.

Two light planes, one from the American Air Force, and another from the Korean Air Force are being fitted for the dusting of mosquito-breeding areas outside Seoul, while teams of public health workers will carry out mobile spraying in the worst affected areas of the city.

Theatres, schools and other public places have been closed temporarily for spraying.—United Press.

RAIL TRACK FLOODED

The typhoon yesterday caused flooding on several sections of the Kowloon-Canton Railway, mostly in the area between Fanling and the border. No serious damage was caused to the track.

PROTEST AGAINST RETURNING JAP GOLD

Washington, Sept. 8.—Authoritative sources disclosed today that the U.S. Government had prepared a directive instructing General Douglas MacArthur to turn over US\$80,000,000 of Japanese gold to Thailand and French Indo-China for debts incurred during the war.

The United States' intention of honouring Siamese and French claims against Japan, announced by Maj-General Frank McCoy at a secret session of the Far Eastern Commission today, aroused the immediate opposition of a number of governments represented on that Allied policy-making body. They asked the United States to postpone sending the directive to General MacArthur until the Commission had had an opportunity to discuss the matter.

While there is general opposition to the proposal, it is understood Australia and the Philippines offered the strongest protests.

The \$80,000,000 in gold would include \$43,000,000 for Siam and \$37,000,000 for Indo-China. The Siamese and French contend these amounts in gold were "earmarked" for them by the Japanese Government to pay for goods taken over by the Japanese during the occupation of those countries.

The contention is that the gold was to have been shipped during the latter part of the war, but a disruption of Japanese shipping to Southern areas as a result of American air and submarine depredations made it impossible to transfer the gold.—United Press.

U.K. AIR MAIL

Air mail from United Kingdom on Monday, September 5 is now expected to arrive on Friday, September 9.

Owing to interruption in the BOAC service, arrangements are being made to despatch United Kingdom air mail to America via London on Tuesday, September 10. The normal BOAC schedule is expected to resume on Tuesday, September 10.

HK Coins To Be Withdrawn

A number of Hongkong coins will cease to be legal tender on October 2, according to a supplement to the Gazette published this morning.

They are: 50 cents, 20 cents, 10 cents and five cents (silver), and one cent (copper or mixed metal) of 10.70 grains, and one cent (copper or mixed metal) of 6.50 grains.

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EQUALS 70-YEAR-OLD RECORD

ALYCIDON WINS THE DONCASTER CUP

Doncaster, Sept. 8.—Lord Derby's magnificent stayer, Alycidon, a four-year-old son of Donatello out of Aurora, equalled a 70-year old record when he won the two and a quarter mile Doncaster Cup here today.

Alycidon, by adding the Doncaster Cup to his Ascot Gold Cup and Goodwood Cup successes, is the first horse to complete this feat since Isomony in 1879.

Today, ridden by his usual jockey, Douglas Smith, he received a tremendous ovation as he raced home a easy winner by eight lengths over Miss Dorothy Fugel's Aldborough, Gordon Richards up, with Mrs Evan William's Harlech a further six lengths away third in a field of four.

RINGSIDE

Eugene Whiting

HEAVYWEIGHT HOPE COST HIM £35

How would you like to buy a heavy-weight hope for £35? Better still, how would you like to have one walk in on you for nothing?

Every percentage minded manager in the bumb-and-thump industry dreams of the day when he and he alone, will have the heavy-weight champion of the world under contract—a golden boy on whom good old Johnny Public will shower his shekels.

By the most conservative of reckoning, the world heavy-weight title is worth £50,000, even in these dollarless days. By the same method of calculation, the British championship held by Bruce Woodcock is as good as £25,000 in the bank. The figures are mine own; any self-respecting manager would double them.

ABOVE THE RUT

Everybody in boxing seeks a heavy-weight bonanza. Not a week passes but what some managerial Svengali whispers sweet somethings to me about a giant Trilby he is grooming with the idea of making Marshall Ald look like a taxi-driver's tip.

Such would-be Woodcocks, Jack Gardner and Johnny Williams, have already risen above the rut in the hands of their respective managers, John Simpson and Ted Broadribb. Dozens more young men of the required physique are being taught, trained, pummelled, prised, cursed, cajoled, thumped and threatened with the same rainbow end in view.

Which brings us back to the two particular hopes mentioned above.

Manager Benny Huntman, currently guiding the destinies of the O'Sullivan brothers and light-weight champion Billy Thompson, has bought for £35 the contract of Raynor, whom you may remember as a finalist in Jack Solomons' heavy-weight novice competition won by Jack Gardner.

Raynor, blond, 6ft. 6in., 20-year-old son of a Bletchworth builder, got himself thumped pretty considerably by Frank Walker in the preliminary heats. But, so bright was his display of what the old-timers used to call "bottom," that a gaggle of newspapermen voted him into the later stages of the competition.

Raynor returned thanks by smacking down three opponents, including Walker, before losing to Gardner in the final. Wages £160—which was not bad going for a lad with no previous acquaintance of rings and ropes.

Since then the Huntman hope has punched out a win and two defeats—but has now been temporarily withdrawn from the gore-and-glory business to seek more adequate physical equipment. At his manager's instigation, Raynor's 13st 5lb of potential purse-money has been quietly corralled on a farm at Eelstock, near Rugby.

Our second Dempsey-in-the-making never having had a fight in his life, is not even longer shot the war for wages.

His boxing label (not his real name) is Jack Cardo, a 16-year-old Jewish lad with unlimited confidence to make up for his lack of jaw-cracking experience.

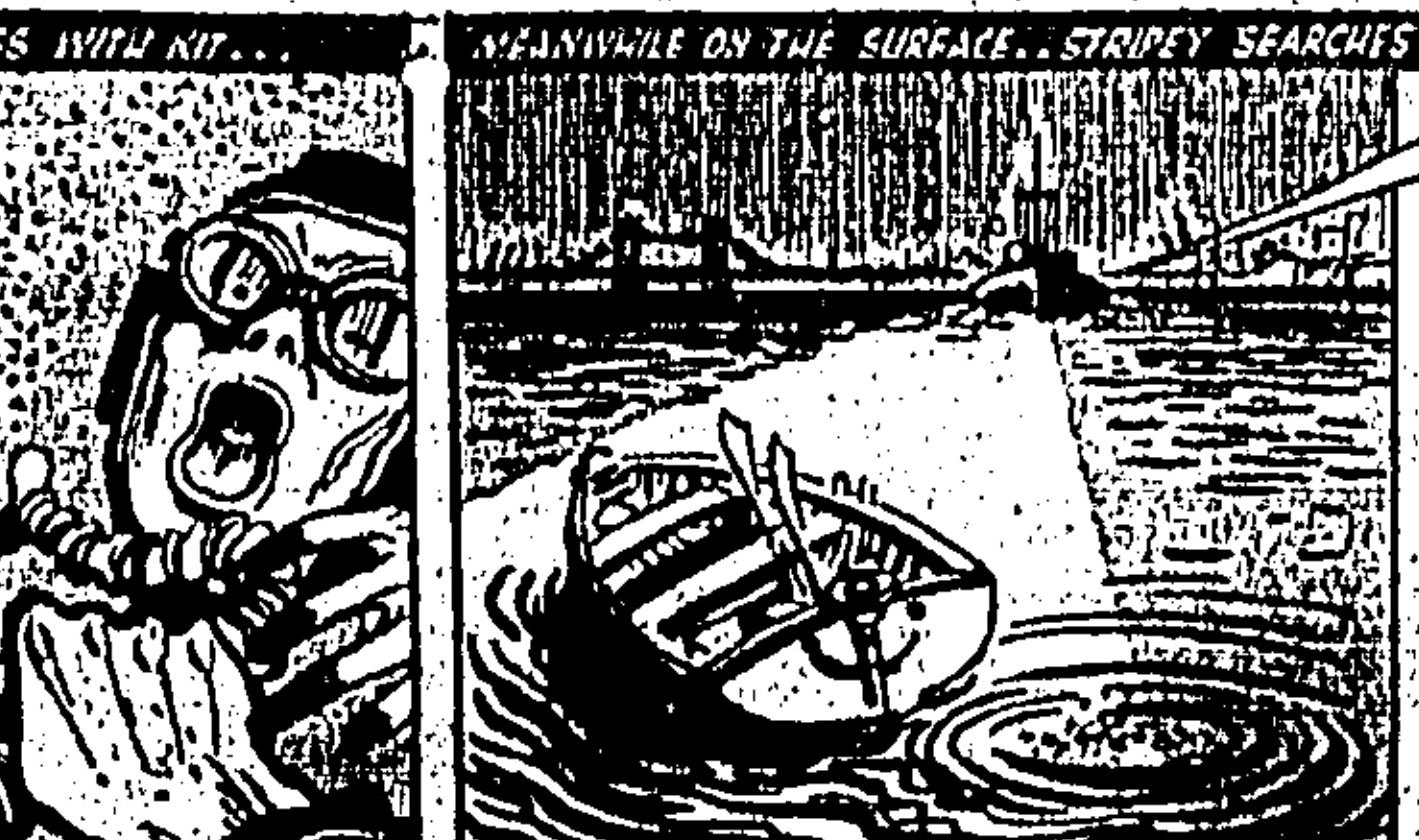
A DEAD-LOSS'

Cardo, son of a West London bookmaker walked some six weeks ago into the gymnasium run by South Africa's Joe Bloom. British heavy-weights, he inferred in an introductory talk, were

—(London Express Service)

Mister Conquest.

UNDER-WATER IN THE POOL OF LONDON... TWO GRAPPLERS WITH KNUCKLES



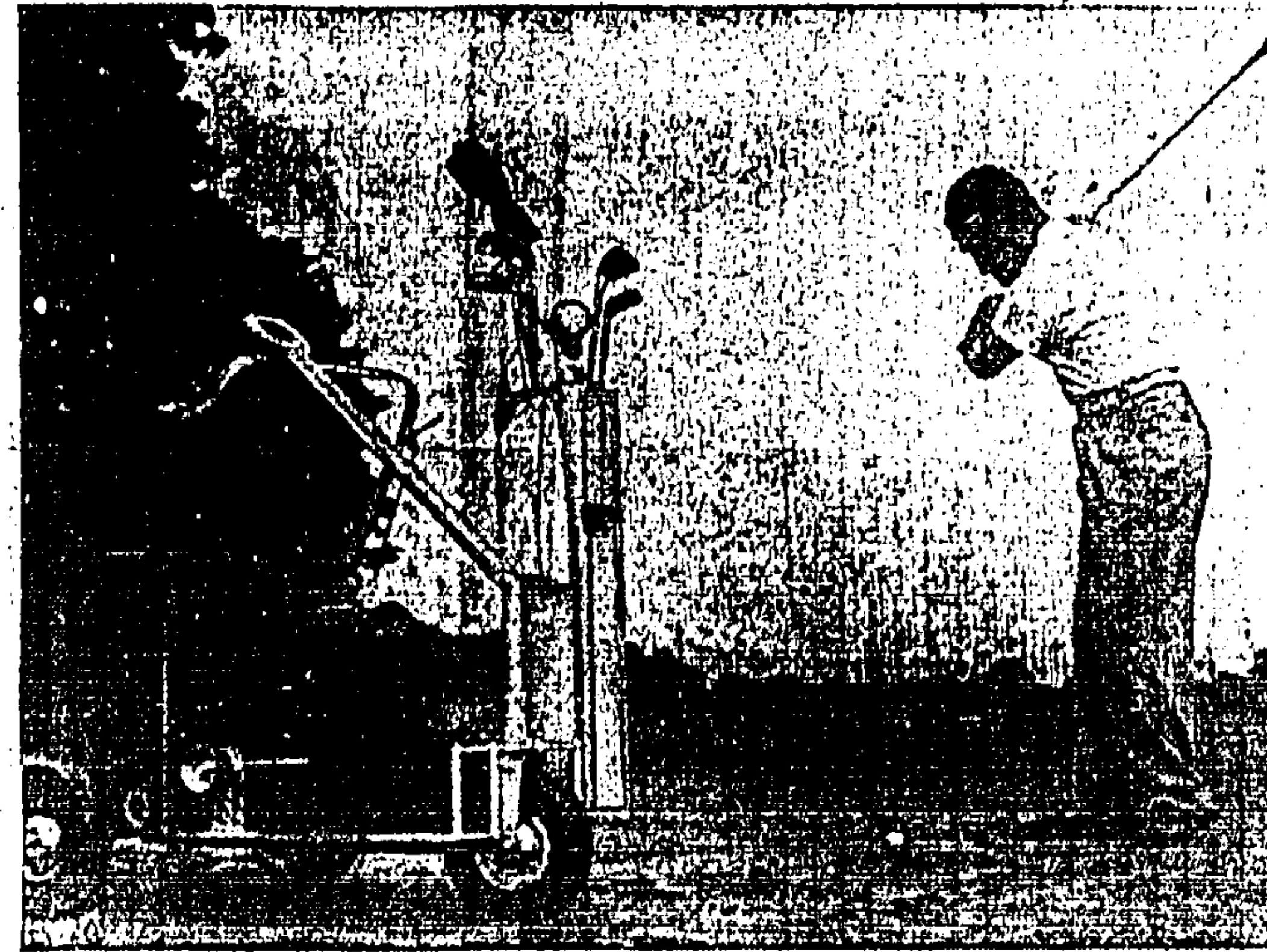
MEANWHILE ON THE SURFACE... STRIPEY SEARCHES



GUMBY BUBBLES!

—(London Express Service)

GOLF BY CHARIOT



Lou Billinger, of Indianapolis, rides this cart chariot-style between strokes of a round of golf. It carries him over the course at 2 to 4 miles an hour.—AP Photo.

Baseball League Standings

AMERICAN LEAGUE

	Won	Lost
New York	82	48
Boston	82	53
Cleveland	78	54
Detroit	78	58
Philadelphia	67	65
Chicago	54	80
St Louis	48	77
Washington	43	87

NATIONAL LEAGUE

	Won	Lost
St Louis	83	49
Brooklyn	83	51
Philadelphia	71	64
New York	66	67
Boston	67	68
Pittsburgh	78	74
Cincinnati	54	80

INTERNATIONAL

	Won	Lost
Buffalo	67	64
Rochester	60	64
Jersey City	76	65
Montreal	70	67
Toronto	67	68
Syracuse	59	66
Baltimore	50	90
Newark	50	90

SOUTHERN ASSOCIATION

	Won	Lost
Nashville	88	54
Birmingham	85	69
Mobile	78	63
New Orleans	73	67
Atlanta	66	76
Little Rock	64	78
Memphis	58	84
Chattanooga	65	80

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION

	Won	Lost
St Paul	91	54
Indianapolis	85	69
Milwaukee	73	69
Louisville	67	70
Kansas City	66	76
Minneapolis	66	77
Toledo	58	89

PACIFIC COAST

	Won	Lost
Hollywood	91	72
Oakland	88	75
Sacramento	87	76
San Diego	85	78
Seattle	63	80
San Francisco	78	84
Portland	75	87
Los Angeles	64	99

Quick Work By

Noel Pope

Bonneville Salt Flats, Utah, Sept. 8.—Britain's racing motorcycle pilot, Noel Pope, today repaired himself and his motor after a 90-mile-an-hour wreck as he was making a speed test.

One wheel of the machine was broken and its streamlined shell dented and scratched. Pope's legs were scratched and bruised but he was able to limp away from the wreck.

Sponsors said if timing devices and weather conditions were right Pope will make his attempt to better the existing 171-mile-per-hour record on Saturday or Sunday.—Associated Press.

Arthur Peall says: HALF INCH DECIDED THIS SNOKER

STRIKER with a "free ball" on pink past brown, leaving as shown, the pink raised alongside the white, leaving both colours front of yellow.

O P P O E N T'S cue-ball is almost half past the pink because he was partly ankoed by the pink. A player cannot be "partly ankoed."

The ball nearest the cue-ball is the "knock-on" ball. It was almost half past the pink, so it struck the white perfectly fair, although pink did partially cover the yellow.

Sometimes the same scoring shot can be used in both billiards and snooker. The power was taken in preference to colour, which might have sent down an "in to white" follow.

The same shot would be good snooker play, leaving a colour for the next stroke.

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—Reuter

A dead loss, a misfit, and an affront to the eyes with suitable tuition from Mr Bloom, he felt sure he could, in time, correct this most unsatisfactory state of affairs.

Today even the hard-boiled, slightly cynical Joe Bloom is talking the same language.

Master Cardo, it appears, shows an infinite capacity for handing out pain in his regular morning lessons.

Watching him at work, I thought the oil prodigy looked a shade tubby and chubby at 15 stone; but teacher is not worried about that score.

"I could get a stone off him if I tried," said Bloom.

"But why kill the boy?" This youngster is one of the best prospects I have seen after 40 years in the fight game. But we are in no hurry.

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